

Service. The public is invited to attend this teleconference call and may be provided an opportunity to comment on the Committee of Scientists' deliberations during the teleconference, only at the request of the Committee.

DATES: The teleconference call will be held on Tuesday, February 23, 1999, from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. (eastern standard time).

ADDRESSES: The teleconference will be held at the USDA Forest Service

headquarters, Sidney R. Yates Federal Building, 201 14th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C., in the Greely Conference Room (5th floor—SW Wing) and at all Regional Offices of the Forest Service, which are listed in the table under Supplementary Information.

Written comments on improving land and resource management planning may be sent to the Committee of Scientists, P.O. Box 2140, Corvallis, OR 97339. Also, the Committee may be accessed

via the Internet at www.cof.orst.edu/org/scicomm/.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information concerning the teleconference, contact Bob Cunningham, Designated Federal Official to the Committee of Scientists, by telephone (202) 205-1523.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The public may attend the teleconference at the following field locations:

USDA FOREST SERVICE REGIONAL OFFICE LOCATIONS

Region 1: Northern Region	Federal Building, 200 E Broadway	Missoula, MT.
Region 2: Rocky Mountain Region	740 Simms St.	Golden, CO.
Region 3: Southwestern Region	Federal Building, 517 Gold Ave., SW	Albuquerque, NM.
Region 4: Intermountain Region	Federal Building, 324 25th St.	Ogden, UT.
Region 5: Pacific Southwest Region	630 Sansome St.	San Francisco, CA.
Region 6: Pacific Northwest Region	333 SW 1st Ave.	Portland, OR.
Region 8: Southern Region	1720 Peachtree Rd. NW	Atlanta, GA.
Region 9: Eastern Region	310 W. Wisconsin Ave., Room 500	Milwaukee, WI.
Region 10: Alaska Region (office will open early)	Federal Office Building, 709 W. 9th St. ...	Juneau, AK.

The Committee of Scientists was chartered to provide scientific and technical advice to the Secretary of Agriculture and the Chief of the Forest Service on improvements that can be made to the National Forest System land and resource management planning process (62 FR 43691; August 15, 1997). Notice of the names of the appointed Committee members was published December 16, 1997 (62 FR 65795).

Dated: February 3, 1999.

Gloria Manning,

Acting Deputy Chief for National Forest System.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Southwest Oregon Province Interagency Executive Committee (PIEC) Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Southwest Oregon PIEC Advisory Committee will meet on February 23, 1999 in Medford, Oregon at the Medford Bureau of Land Management Office at 3040 Biddle Road. The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. and continue until 4:30 p.m. Agenda items to be covered include: (1) Aquatic Conservation Strategy background information and discussion; (2) Public comment; and (3) Current

issues as perceived by Advisory Committee members.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Direct questions regarding this meeting to Chuck Anderson, Province Advisory Committee Coordinator, USDA, Forest Service, Rogue River National Forest, 333 W. 8th Street, Medford, Oregon 97501, phone (541) 858-2322.

Dated: February 2, 1999.

Charles J. Anderson,

Acting Designated Federal Official.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce (DOC) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Agency: Patent and Trademark Office (PTO).

Title: Recording Assignments (formerly Changes in Patent and Trademark Practices).

Form Numbers: PTO-1594 and PTO-1595.

Agency Approval Number: 0651-0027.

Type of Request: Reinstatement of a currently approved collection.

Burden: 104,520 hours.

Number of Respondents: 209,040 responses.

Avg. Hours Per Response: The PTO estimates that it will take 30 minutes to gather, prepare, and submit the patent and trademark recordation form cover sheets.

Needs and Uses: The patent and trademark recordation form cover sheets are used by the public to transfer the rights, title, and interest in patents or trademarks from one party to another. The public can also use these forms to submit patents and trademarks, patent and trademark assignments, other associated documents, and corrections to such items to the PTO for recording. The PTO uses these forms to process and record trademarks, patents, patent and trademark assignments, or other associated documents. The patent and trademark recordation form cover sheets also enable the PTO to ensure that all of the relevant bibliographic data related to these various documents is entered into the Patent and Trademark Assignment System (PTAS).

Affected Public: Individuals or households, businesses or other for-profit, not-for-profit institutions, farms, federal government, and state, local, or tribal governments.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: Maya A. Bernstein, (202) 395-3785.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202)